

CONTACT REPORT

9 March 1954

SUBJECT: Meeting with Cassowary 15

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1. Following subjects discussed:

a) Matla; C-15 said that Matla had returned to the States on or about the 5th of March; that he had spent about 4 days in England prior to coming here. Results of his England talks with Javelin representatives as follows: he was well received by Javelin; Javelin has severed all relationship with Bandera; Javelin has forbidden Bandera, Stetsko and Lenkavsky from entering England; Javelin will give full support to Rebet-Matla DUO and reorganized ZCh according to Homeland directive; Bandera founded new paper printed in Munich and called "Schlakh Peremohi" (Path to Victory); This paper funded on old funds in Bandera treasury and probably funds from ABN; Javelin warned Matla, ~~and~~ Pidhainy et.al. about MVD interest in Ukrainian affairs; Bandera plans to sent 100 people to Ukraine to take over net without the aid of the British; Javelin expects to keep the net open as before, using Pidhainy as contact man; Miron courier in hands of Pidhainy.

b) Samostinyk; till being published by the opposition.

d) Bandera's text to Miron; CO told C-15 that the British wanted to know whether we had sent the 11 point text to Happy. After consultation ~~mm~~ with C-2, C-15 thought best to tell Jav. that pressing matters forebade us from sending it but that we did advise field that document in our position. This was done.

c) Message to Mak; Got text for 166,167 messages to Carthage 5 and Cass 5.. Contained mostly contents of (a) above with warning to Happy to be careful of MVD and that Miron, and friends not reliable. (see outgoing msgs. to C-5 for texts of msgs)

d) Messages to Carthage 12; Got message text for msgs. No. 61 and 62.

f) C-2; Asked C-15 to have C-2 come to Wash for conference on 11 March to discuss Matla talks, etc., and AERANTER deal.

g) Cass 6; CO told C-15 that according to word from MUNI Cass 6 did not give C any Cavatina pouch materials; that C-6 said C-2 misunderstood him regarding this. Also told C-15 that C-6 may come here as our guest in a month or two, or as soon as he gets his German documents in order.

h) Other; C-15 gave CO card index and other material on reorganization of Chernigov Oblast in Ukraine; also introduction to Prologue study on the Famine in the Ukraine; also copy of first issue of Bandera's "Path to Victory"; and several copies of opposition "Samostynik".

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